

WHAT IS CLAIMED IS:

1. A process for making a detergent tablet, the process comprising a first step of providing a detergent composition, a second step of forming a particulate material comprising the detergent composition, and a third step of compressing the particulate material in a tablet form, the process being characterised in that it further comprises a step of cooling the detergent composition below ambient temperature between the first and the third step.
2. The process according to claim 1, whereby the ambient temperature is of more than 18°C.
3. The process according to any of claims 1 or 2, whereby the step of cooling the detergent composition consists in exposing the detergent composition to a temperature below ambient temperature in a portion of space.
4. The process according to claim 3, whereby the exposition is provided by placing or displacing the detergent composition in or through the portion of space in which the temperature is below ambient temperature for a given exposition time.
5. The process according to any of claims 3, 4 or 5, whereby the difference of temperature between the ambient temperature and the temperature below ambient temperature is of at least 3°C.
6. The process according to both claims 4 and 5, whereby the exposition time is proportional to the weight of detergent composition exposed divided by the difference of temperature.
7. The process according to any of the above claims, whereby the detergent composition comprises at least 10% by weight of surfactant.

8. The process according to any of the above claims, whereby the detergent composition comprises at least 2% by weight of binder.
- 5 9. The process according to any of the above claims, whereby the detergent composition has a temperature below ambient temperature after the cooling step and before the third step.
10. A tablet obtainable by the process according to any of the above claims.

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